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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: PATRICIA ANNE GOEDE et)
al.)
TITLE: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR)
VISUAL ANNOTATION AND)
KNOWLEDGE)
REPRESENTATION) RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION
SERIAL NO.: 10/516,554) REQUIREMENT
FILED: November 30, 2004)
EXAMINER: YANG, RYAN R.)
ART UNIT: 2672)

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the election or restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed July 2, 2007 applicants request entry of this Response to Restriction Requirement and consideration of the above-captioned application.

In order to be responsive to the election or restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action, applicants hereby

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, on the 1 day of August, 2007.

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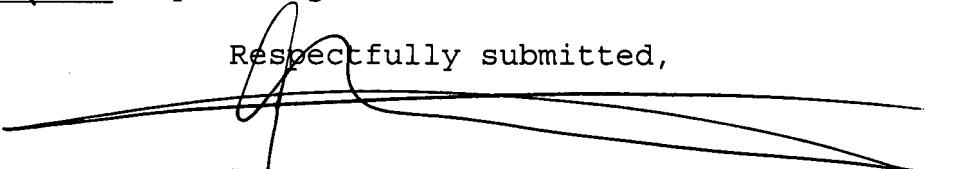
elect, with traverse, the claims of Group I, namely claims 1-17 and 28-56. In addition, the applicant elects, with traverse, species (a), namely claims 1-17, 28-34 and 41-56. If a generic claim is allowed, applicants will expect consideration of all claims to additional species which include the subject matter of an allowed generic claim.

In view of the foregoing, applicant believes that all claims, and particularly claims 1-17 and 28-56, are allowable and the same is respectfully requested. If any impediment to the allowance of these claims remains after entry of this response, and such impediment could be alleviated during a telephone interview, the Examiner is invited to initiate the same.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or to credit any overpayment in connection with this Amendment to Deposit Account No. 50-0836.

DATED this 1 day of August, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,


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